

# The Lions Roar

The Lions Club of Strathroy - Caradoc

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*We welcome community-minded men and women with a desire to assist others and enjoy good fellowship.*

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A Monthly Newsletter District A-1 Zone 7

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## President's Message...

Happy New Year ! Looking forward to the second half of the Lions year. We have a lot of events to keep us busy and I look forward to meeting new members in the coming months. Since some of our members will not be returning until mid March, our meetings in January 15th and February 5th and 19th



Lion Mariette Desjardine, President of the Strathroy - Caradoc Lions Club, and President of Lions Camp Dorset

will all be held at Seasons and will be business meetings only. Please let me know by the Wednesday prior to the meeting if you care to join

some of us for dinner in the dining room at 6:00 pm.

Yours in Lionism

Lion Mariette



Step 1: Ask 1

Step 2: Keep 1 . . . .

. . . by planning ahead and staying busy.



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#### DISTRICT A-1

#### ZONE 7

- Regular Club Meetings are held twice a month except during July, August, Jan, Feb (if too many are in warmer climates).
- 1st Thursday of each month is a Business Meeting held at Seasons Retirement
- 3rd Thursday of the month is a Dinner Meeting at Strathroy Legion

President: Mariette Desjardine  
 1st Vice: Ed Hadbavny  
 2nd Vice: Tawnya Baldwin  
 Secretary: Barry Wolfe  
 Treasurer: Gary Lawton  
 Membership: George Croft  
 2 Yr. Director: Elma Dolansky  
 1 Yr. Director: Jean Lawton  
 Bulletin: Elma Dolansky  
 Barry Wolfe

Int'l President: Lion Joe Preston  
 Dist. Governor: Lion John Johnston  
 519-644-0157

[lionjohnjohnston@gmail.com](mailto:lionjohnjohnston@gmail.com)

#### District Governor's Newsletter

Zone Chair: Lion Gerry Veale  
 519-245-8705  
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## Strathroy Cenotaph Veterans

### Lions International Purpose:

To promote the principles of good government and good citizenship.

### L.C.I. Ethics:

Always to bear in mind my obligations as a citizen to my nation, my state, and my community, and to give them my unswerving loyalty in word, act, and deed. To give them freely of my time, labor and means.

So how are we treating our living veterans? [Here's a look back at those who appear on our cenotaph.](#)

### Previous Sponsors:

Nov. [HY - WAY Collision](#)  
 Jan. [Portugal Custom Homes](#)  
 Feb. [Ralph Bos Meats](#)  
 March [Dale Wurfel Chrysler](#)  
 April [Doug & Marion's Bike Sales & Repairs](#)  
 May [DAMEN Optimal Health Team](#)  
 June Four Seasons Lawn Care  
 Sept. [Meridian Lightweight Technologies](#)

## Check your calendar:

Jan 15 Business Mtg @ Seasons  
 Jan. 22 [The Sandwich Social](#)  
 Jan 25 [Cabinet Mtg in Kingsville](#)  
 Feb 5 Business Mtg @ Seasons  
 Feb 13 [Easter Bunny Order Deadline](#)  
 Feb 19 Dinner Mtg @ Legion  
 Feb. 7 Mid Winter Luau Pig Roast - Kingsville - see flyer  
 March 2 3rd Zone Mtg @ Glencoe  
 March 5 Business Mtg @ Seasons  
 March 7 37th Annual LDUN ([Lions Day with the United Nations](#))  
 March 8 [A-1 Effective Speaking Contest](#)  
 March 19 Dinner Mtg @ Legion (VDG Eric Dolansky)  
 Apr 10-12 District Convention @ [Lampighter in London](#)  
 Apr 16 Dinner Mtg @ Legion / Guests Delaware Lions  
 May 16-22 S-C Lions' [CNIB](#) Tag Day  
 May 19 4th Zone Mtg @ Mt. Brydges  
 Last Thurs. of every month: **Chamber of Commerce** meets (we're members)

## Membership Events

**INVITE A GUEST / MEMBER  
CANDIDATE TO A REGULAR  
MEETING**



## OUR SPONSOR OF THE MONTH:

# District News

## Youth Exchange

Happy New Year Lions ,

As we all resume to our Lions meeting and such I would ask that you please seriously consider assisting me in finding host families , for the upcoming Youth Exchange Program, we are now at the point in the program where I am starting to or have already received communication to hold spots in the exchange for specific countries.

I have agreed to hold two spots for each for the following countries Finland, Israel, Belgium and

It is now time to secure host families as I must give these countries and the students a final answer by end of March .

Please , please help me find host families. If the host family that you are suggesting is new to the program then All persons in the home 16 and older must have a criminal record check, If they were a host family last year then this process is waived.

The host family application and information about hosting can be found on the Lions Clubs International website use the search bar and look under youth exchange .

The dates for the two hosting weeks are as follows:

Week 1 is June 27- July 8..

Week 2 is July 8-18.

Camp begins on July 18.

If you have any further questions please do not hesitate in contacting me by phone or email 519-631-1625 or [pdglionev@gmail.com](mailto:pdglionev@gmail.com)

Thank you Lion Ev



## The Miracle Worker

The Petrolia Community Theatre is putting on a play titled [The Miracle Worker, the story of Helen Keller](#) speaking to the Lions Int'l Convention in 1925.

This play will be held in late April, any support from the Lions family would be much appreciated.

**Be a Lion**







# Kingsville Lions Presents

## Mid Winter Luau Pig Roast



Saturday February 7<sup>th</sup>  
Kingsville Lions Hall

Tickets \$30

Music by DJ Chuck Reynolds

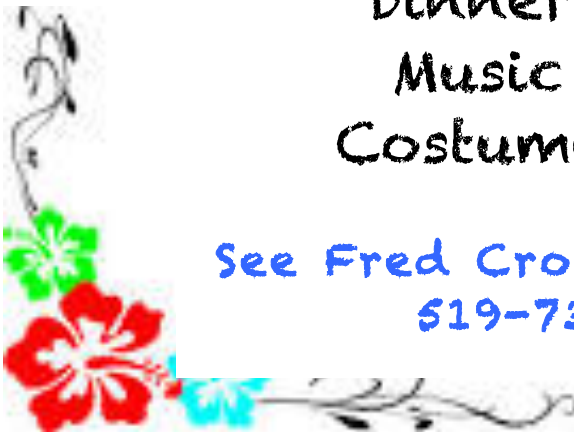
Social 5:00 PM

Dinner 6:00 PM

Music 8:00 PM

Costume Parade

See Fred Cross for tickets  
519-733-3349



# OPEN HOUSE

*You Are Cordially Invited  
TO CELEBRATE*



## **LION BOB SHIELL 50 YEARS OF LIONISM**

Sunday, 2 - 4 PM

February 22, 2015

Venue

Western Ontario Fish & Game Protective Assn. Hall  
790 Southdale Road East

Light Snacks & refreshments  
Cash Bar (Beer & Wine)

RSVP: Before February 15, 2015

Contact: London East Lions

Phone: 519-476-1532

Email: [londoneastlionsclub@live.ca](mailto:londoneastlionsclub@live.ca)



# PETROLIA LIONS

## PROUDLY PRESENTS

### OUR 2015 TRIBUTE SHOWS



## ROCK AROUND THE CLOCK

Saturday, February 14, 2015

**BILL HALEY, BRENDA LEE,  
PAUL ANKA, RICKY NELSON and  
THE FABULOUS ROY ORBISON**

## CHICAGO TRANSIT

Saturday, March 7, 2015

"Hard to Say I'm Sorry"

"Saturday in the Park"

Special Guest Star Doug Varty as **ROD STEWART**



## MILLION DOLLAR TRIBUTE

### Four Legends • One Stage

Friday, April 17, 2015

**CARL PERKINS, JERRY LEE LEWIS  
JOHNNY CASH AND ELVIS PRESLEY**



## VICTORIA HALL

TICKETS CAN BE PURCHASED AT  
THE VPP BOX OFFICE, VICTORIA HALL,  
411 GREENFIELD ST., PETROLIA, ONTARIO  
(519) 882-1221 OR TOLL FREE 1-800-717-7694

ORDER ONLINE AT: [www.thevpp.ca](http://www.thevpp.ca)



~~~~ All Proceeds to Bluewater MRI and Community Projects ~~~~

# District Mtg Agenda

## AGENDA

**District Meeting January 25<sup>th</sup>, 2015  
Lions Community Hall  
23 Mill Street West  
Kingsville, Ont**

1. **Call to Order 9:00 a.m.**
1. **O Canada**
2. **Minute of Silence for Departed Lions-**  
**1<sup>st</sup> VDG Mike T to read the list of Lions who have passed away since our last District Meeting in November**  
**2<sup>nd</sup> VDG Eric D will read the names of new Lions and their sponsors**
3. **Welcome by District Governor John & set Protocol**
4. **Treasurer's Report Cabinet Treasurer.. Lion Dan Armstrong**  
**Motion to Accept Report**
5. **Secretary's Report Cabinet Secretary.. Lion Gerald Smith**  
**Adoption of the November 16<sup>th</sup> 2014 minutes**  
**Correspondence..**  
**Nomination for DG 2015-2016**  
**37<sup>th</sup> Annual Lions Day at the United Nations**
6. **1<sup>st</sup> Vice District Governor's Report V.D.G. Mike Tuxford**
7. **2<sup>nd</sup> Vice District Governor's Report V.D.G. Eric Dolansky**
8. **District Officers Report- Region Chairs.. and Zone Chairs..**
9. **District Chairs Reports –**  
**GLT... PDG Jacqui Flood**  
**GMT...PDG Wayne Cudney**  
**LCIF.. PDG Don Mc Kessock**  
**Literacy.. Lion Joyce Mahovlich**  
**Lake Jo Transportation.. IPDG Bob Tanner**  
**Break..**  
**Lions 100<sup>th</sup> Centennial-- PDG Bill Bissonnette**  
**Convention A-1.. PDG John Ross**  
**Youth Exchange .. PDG Ev Spiering**  
**Effective Speaking.. Lion Anne Neil**  
**Bulletin Contest... Lion Bill Fell**  
**Hearing Preservation & Awareness.. Lion Barb Tuxford**
10. **Eyes Right Annual Meeting.. Lion Harry Wismer**

# Easter Bunny Orders (2 pages)

LONDON CENTRAL LIONS CLUB

301 Oxford St. W.

P.O. Box 24121

London, ON N6H 5C4

ORDER FORM EASTER CAMPAIGN 2015

Please Forward Orders To: Lion Jim Lystar PRC  
16 Kenwood Cr.  
London, ON N5Y 3W7  
Phone: 519-857-7525  
Email: [jlystar@execulink.com](mailto:jlystar@execulink.com)

Note: Easter is April 05,2015

Note: Club Orders must be received by **Feburary 13,2015**

Note: Club Orders to be picked up on Saturday, **March 14,2015**

Lovers Warehouse 160 Adelaide St. S. London, ON N5Z 3L1

Dock #2 west side of Forest City Fire Protection building

Note: Please have your cheque made out to: London Central Lions Club

Note: There will be a discount of \$1.00 per case for pick up orders.

Note: There will be NO BACK-UP inventory. Please order accordingly.

Bunny orders of LESS than 20 cases of 24 units is \$62 per case, combination of any four items.

Bunny orders of More than 20 cases of 24 units is \$60 per case, combination of any four items.

Chocolate covered almonds case of 60 units is \$88 per case

Your Lions Club order is for:



\_\_\_\_\_ case / 24 Milk Chocolate (175g.) suggested sell @ 2 for \$7 or \$4 each

\_\_\_\_\_ case / 24 White Chocolate (175g.) suggested sell @ 2 for \$7 or \$4 each

\_\_\_\_\_ case/ 24 Sugar Free (100g) suggested sell @ 2 for \$7 or \$4 each

\_\_\_\_\_ case / 24 Dark Chocolate (100g) suggested sell @ 2 for \$7 or \$4 each

\_\_\_\_\_ case/ 60 Chocolate Covered Almonds (90) suggested sell @ \$3 each

Name of your Lions/Lioness/Leos

Club: \_\_\_\_\_

Name of Club contact and full address:

\_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

Telephone: Home \_\_\_\_\_

Work: \_\_\_\_\_

Email Address:

\_\_\_\_\_

Thank you in advance for your timely responses in returning your orders.

Lion Jim Lystar PRC

# Effective Speaking

Lions

Just a reminder about the District A-1 Effective Speaking Contest. It will be held on March 8th, 2015 and will be hosted by the Chatham Lions Club at the Active Lifestyle Centre, 20 Merritt Avenue, Chatham.

Please let me know if your club is hosting a club contest so that I can give Chatham an estimate of how many speakers will be in attendance.

The MD"A" Effective Speaking Contest will be hosted by the Fenwick and Fonthill Lions Club on May 1st and 2nd, 2015 at the Holiday Inn Suites and Conference Centre in St. Catherines. If you need any further information, do not hesitate to contact me. Also, just a reminder to those clubs that have not donated as yet. Please consider this very worthwhile program.

To all the clubs that have sent in donations already, I send my personal thank you for supporting the program.

***"Walking with a friend in the dark is better than walking alone in the light."***

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## *Convention Penny Draw*

2015-01-15

Lioness, Lions and Leos;

The time has come to start thinking about the 2015 District A-1 Convention which will be held on April 10<sup>th</sup>, 11<sup>th</sup> and 12<sup>th</sup> at the Best Western Lamplighter Inn, 591 Wellington Road S., London. Plans are well underway to make it another great convention this year.

The Convention Committee is asking again for your support for the "PENNY DRAW" which benefits us all by helping to defray some of the convention costs. We are asking each of the Lioness, Lions and Leo clubs to donate a gift for a truly successful draw. In addition, the Committee is grateful to those individuals who continue to support the Penny Draw with a gift.

Would you please contact me as soon as possible if you will be donating a draw prize [unwrapped] so that the proper identification can be made up prior to the convention. ***If you are donating money- please make cheque payable to Lioness Joyce Leal. If you send a cheque – the prize will be the cash. If you wish a gift – you are responsible to purchase one.***

**PLEASE NOTE: ALL DRAW PRIZES MUST BE RECEIVED prior to the opening of the convention - no later than 7:00 pm on Friday Night. Should this be an inconvenience please call to make arrangements.**

***THE PENNY DRAW WILL CLOSE by 1:30 on Saturday afternoon – draws taking place immediately after. A list will be posted as soon as possible and gifts will be available for pickup. We would ask you to please pick them up no later than 5 pm Saturday.***

Thanking you in advance for your continued support and participation. Should you require any further information concerning the Penny Draw, please do not hesitate to give me a call.

Yours in Lionism

**Lioness Joyce**

*PDP Lioness Joyce Leal*